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Honorable Richard J. Sullivan  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl St., Room 615  
New York, NY 10007

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Re: Darren Edwards v. People of the State of  
New York  
08 CV 0112 (RJS)

Your Honor:

I am an Assistant Attorney General in the office of Andrew M. Cuomo, Attorney General of the State of New York, attorney for respondent in the above-referenced habeas corpus proceeding. I respectfully request an extension of time to respond to the petition for a writ of habeas corpus from June 9, 2008 to August 8, 2008.

In Your Honor's Order dated April 10, 2008, you ordered that my office file its response by June 9, 2008. Although a copy of the record in this case has been made available, our office has not yet received the transcripts. Therefore, I am respectfully requesting an extension of time until August 8, 2008, so that I may obtain and review the record in this case and prepare a thorough response to the petition. This is my first request for an extension.

I thank the Court for its consideration to this matter.

*Request for 60 day extension is GRANTED. No further extensions will be granted absent truly compelling circumstances.*

SO ORDERED  
Date:

RICHARD J. SULLIVAN  
U.S.D.J.

*Respectfully submitted*

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*RESPONDANT SHALL notify all parties.  
RESPONDANT SHALL file notice of  
APPEARANCE IMMEDIATELY.*